

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**  
**OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE**

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION	)	
OF SILVER RUN ELECTRIC, LLC	)	
FOR A CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC	)	
CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY TO BEGIN	)	
BUSINESS AS AN ELECTRIC TRANSMISSION	)	PSC DOCKET NO. 18-0945
UTILITY AUTHORIZED TO PROVIDE	)	
TRANSMISSION FACILITIES IN DELAWARE	)	
(FILED JULY 3, 2018)	)	

**ORDER NO. 9275**

**AND NOW**, this 25th day of September 2018, the Delaware Public Service Commission ("Commission") determines and orders the following:

**WHEREAS**, on July 3, 2018, Silver Run Electric, LLC ("Silver Run" or the "Company") filed an application ("Application") with the Commission pursuant to 26 *Del. C.* § 203E(b) seeking a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity ("CPCN") to begin the business of an electric transmission utility authorized to provide transmission facilities in Delaware; and

**WHEREAS**, in accordance with 26 *Del. C.* § 203E(c), the Commission shall act on this Application within 90 days of the submission of a completed application; except, for good cause shown, and if it finds that the public interest would be served, the Commission may extend the date of its action for an additional period not to exceed 90 days; and

**WHEREAS**, in determining whether to grant the CPCN, the Commission shall consider:

- (1) Whether PJM Interconnection, L.L.C. (or its successor) ("PJM") has selected the applicant to develop or own transmission facilities included in the regional transmission expansion plan approved through PJM's Federal Energy Regulatory Commission-approved developer qualification and competitive procurement process, or if such PJM approval has not occurred:

a. The demonstrated experience, operating expertise, and long-term viability of the applicant or its affiliates, partners, or parent company;

b. The need for and impact of any transmission facilities proposed by the applicant on the safe, adequate, and reliable operation or delivery of electric supply services; and

c. The engineering and technical design of any transmission facilities proposed by the applicant;

(2) The impact of granting the certificate of public convenience and necessity application on the State's economy and the benefits to the State's ratepayers; and

(3) The impact of granting the certificate of public convenience and necessity application on the health, safety, and welfare of the general public.

(26 Del. C. § 203E(b)(1)-(3)); and

**WHEREAS**, the cost allocation of this project is the subject of proceedings before FERC, and this issue may have a significant influence on Staff's recommendation to grant this CPCN vis-à-vis assessing the impact on the State's economy and the benefits to the State's ratepayers;

**NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED BY THE AFFIRMATIVE  
VOTE OF NOT FEWER THAN THREE COMMISSIONERS:**

1. Pursuant to 26 Del. C. § 203E(c) and 26 Del. Admin. C. § 3011-2.2.28, the Commission is extending the decision period for an additional 90 days.

2. The Commission reserves the jurisdiction and authority to enter such further Orders in this matter as may be deemed necessary or proper.

**BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:**

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Chairman

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Commissioner

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ATTEST:

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Secretary